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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Fireworks Restriction Reminder

(Sedgwick County, Kansas) –With the sale of fireworks beginning this week and the approaching Fourth of July Holiday, the Sedgwick County Fire Department would like to remind you of the following regulations to keep your family safe while enjoying your holiday:

- Shoot them where you buy them.
- It is illegal to possess, store, sale, use or explode any fireworks within the unincorporated areas of Sedgwick County.
- Sky Rockets, Bottle Rockets and Moon Rockets are illegal in the State of Kansas.
- Police and Fire Officers are authorized to issue citations and fines for the violation of the law.
- You must have a display permit from the Sedgwick County Fire Department in order to operate a fireworks stand.
- You should check City codes before shooting fireworks.

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“We want to make sure that the citizens of Sedgwick County are safe,” said Commission Chairman Ben Sciortino. “Everyone should enjoy the Fourth of July holiday, but we all have to remember to follow the rules so we can prevent accidents and injuries.”

For more information or to obtain a “Fireworks Restriction Map,” contact Kristi Zukovich at 316-660-9370.

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